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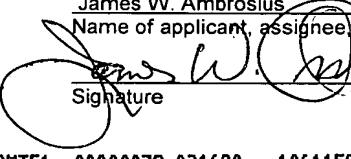
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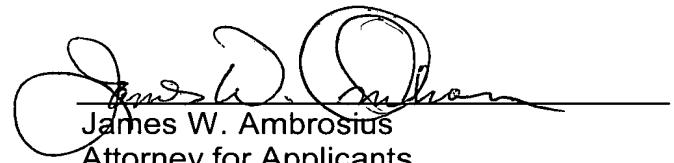
  
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Applicants herewith wishes to inform the Patent Office of a co-pending patent application (attorney docket number T-6152) titled "Process for the Oligomerization of Olefins in Fisher-Tropsch Derived Feeds" having the same filing date as the subject application.

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